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February 10, 2000

**Idaho Department of Environmental Quality
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Attention: Kreg Beck

Dear Kreg:

Potlatch is proposing a riverbank rehabilitation project to prevent any further petroleum product residue from reaching the St. Joe River. Our proposal is to excavate the riverbank back from the river, for a width of 10 feet, and to a depth 2 feet below the low water level as shown on the attached Typical Section. This excavated material would then be land farmed on the area between the collection trenches and the highway, as shown on the Overhead View. The proposed area to be treated is also shown on the Overhead View. Once the material has been excavated, an impervious polyethylene liner would be placed on the bank from top to bottom and full length of project. This liner will be protected from puncture with fine material or a non-woven geotextile cloth on each side. Clean fill would then be imported and placed over the liner to a depth of approximately 6 feet. Rip-rap would then be placed over the fill to an approximate depth of 4 feet to complete the bank rehabilitation.

If you have any questions regarding this proposal, before our meeting on February 17th, call me at (208) 245-6433.

Sincerely,

Greg Rapp

**Greg Rapp
Construction Superintendent**

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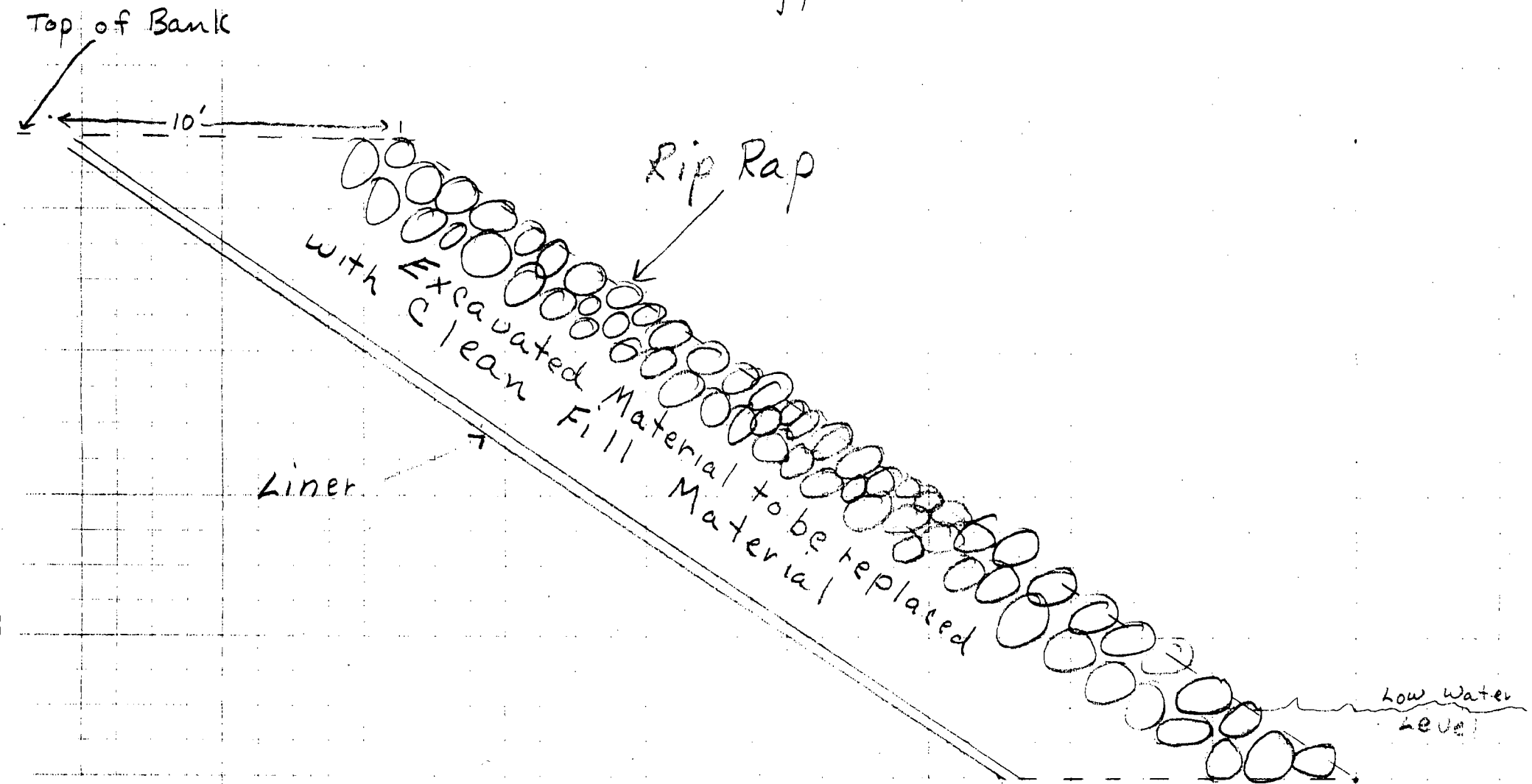
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Avery Landing Riverbank Rehabilitation Typical Section



Scale 1" = 4'

